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REPORT ON NORTH VIETNAM ACTIVITY IN LAOS 53-70. 22 FEBRUARY, AN UNIDENTIFIED REGIMENT IN THE VICINITY OF MUONG PHI LANE, LAOS, INSTRUCTED AN UNIDENTIFIED UNIT IN THE AREA OF MUONG PHI LANE, LAOS, (A) YOU MAY RECEIVE 20 ROUNDS OF SHELLS FROM THE 4TH REGIMENT. B) IF YOU GO TO RECEIVE RICE, YOU MAY BRING THE TWO WATT RADIO TO THE REGIMENT. C) PLEASE TELL US HOW MUCH RICE THE 5TH SPECIAL COMPANY WILL SHIP TO THE REGIMENT. (A9) 10. 21 FEBRUARY, THE THIRD BATTALION IN THE VICINITY OF MUONG PHI LANE IN LAOS REPORTED TO THE FOURTH REGIMENT IN THE SAME AREA, (A) AIRCRAFT MADE AN ATTACK IN THE DIRECTION OF THE NINTH BATTALION. (A) 11. 21 FEBRUARY, AN UNIDENTIFIED REGIMENT ON THE BORDER BETWEEN VIETNAM AND LAOS INSTRUCTED AN UNIDENTIFIED COMPANY IN AN AREA NORTH OF THE NO. 111 ROAD IN LAOS, (A) AMMUNITION TO BE SHIPPED ON 26 FEBRUARY TOTAL 189 ROUNDS, 2,600 NU XONG, 12 BAGS OF THE MORTAR SPARE PARTS, BEEP HAND-GRENADES, 42 ROUNDS OF UNIDENTIFIED GUNS AND 1,260 ROUNDS OF K54. B) SHIP SOME AMMUNITION FROM THE UNIT K12 TO KA, WHEN VEHICLES ARE AVAILABLE. C) PLEASE GO TO THE FERRY POINT TO MEET COMRADE I 23 FEBRUARY 0400 TO NEGOTIATE SOMETHING ABOUT TRANSPORTATION, AND ASK THE ENGINEER TROOPS TO REPAIR THE FERRY BOATS. PLEASE CABLE US ON 22 FEBRUARY IF THERE IS ANY DIFFICULTY IN WORK. D) IN THE EVENING OF 22 FEBRUARY, PLEASE DESPATCH TRUCKS TO SHIP OVER 150 MORTAR ROUNDS AND 200 DK ROUNDS AND TO SHIP RICE TO THE KX STOREHOUSE NOO. E) PLEASE SHIP 4+ TONS OF MATERIALS IN TWO TIMES. COMRADE I WILL DESPATCH VEHICLES TO THE RIVER BANK AWAITING FOR RELAY TRANSPORTATION. F) ON THE NIGHT OF 23 FEBRUARY, I WOULD TRY TO GO TO NGAM WHERE FOUR MEMBERS OF PH32 ARE REPAIRING FERRYING BOATS. IT WOULD BE PASSABLE ON THE NIGHT OF 25 FEBRUARY. (A) 12. 21 FEBRUARY, AN UNIDENTIFIED REGIMENT IN THE VICINITY OF MUONG PHI LANE IN LAOS INSTRUCTED AN UNIDENTIFIED UNIT IN THE SAME AREA, (A) 23 FEBRUARY, PLEASE MAKE A REPORT ON THE QUALITY OF THE MEMBERS IN YOUR COMPANY, THE TRANSFERRED PERSONS AND THE CONDITIONS OF RICE. B) PLEASE SELECT OTHER PLACES IF THE ENEMY IS STILL AT LAI KA THA. C) IT HAS ORDERED COMRADE SHIUNG TO SEND THE FIFTH SPECIAL COMPANY TO TAKE THE MACHINE OF THE BATTALION IN OPERATION. (A) 13. 19 FEBRUARY, A REGIMENT IN THE NA KHANG AREA AND ITS SUBORDINATE UNITS STATED THE FOLLOWING, (A) 18 FEBRUARY, THE NUMBER OF MEN OF C30 REMAINED CHANGED. 70 MEN WERE WORKING ON A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT, FIVE ON CAR SHELTERS AND 14 ON CAVES AT KM234 AND KM291. 0600-1830 HOURS, THE HOSTILE AIRCRAFT LAUNCHED BOMBING RAIDS ON 15 OCCASIONS. 32 TN BOMBS, 58 DESTRUCTION BOMBS, 26 ANTI-PERSONNEL BOMBS AND 40 SMOKE BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE ROAD SECTION BETWEEN KM232 AND KM238. IN ADDITION, KM232 AND 233 WERE RAIDED WITH TN BOMBS, 2000 HOURS, THE ROAD TRAFFIC WAS RESUMED. ONE F4

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AIRCRAFT WAS SHOT DOWN WITH ITS PILOT BAILING OUT AT KM231. THE AIRMAN IS AT LARGE. B) 19 FEB 0900, THE HOSTILE AIRCRAFT BOMBED KM232. THREE BOMBS HIT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD SURFACE AND ANOTHER AT THE ROADSIDE. 450 CUBIC METERS OF LANDSLIDE HAVE BEEN CLEANED UP. C10 HAS BEEN CONDUCTING THE CLEANUP OPERATION. 1700 HOURS, THE TRAFFIC IS EXPECTED TO BE RESUMED. C) C10 HAS 75 MEN. 20 OF THEM ARE COOPERATING WITH C32 AS SUPPORTERS. 18 FEB 2340, THE TRAFFIC WAS RESUMED. 11 MEN SEARCHED FOR AN AIRMAN AT LARGE AND TRANSPORTED AMMUNITION. D) 25 FEB, A SESSION OF THE PARTY STANDING COMMITTEE IS SCHEDULED TO OPEN. § 14. 21 FEB A REGIMENT NEAR MUONG PHILANE STATED THE FOLLOWING §A) 21 FEB NIGHT, THE ENEMY OPENED FIRE AT MOP KHAY AND PHENG PENG. B) 21 FEB FORENOON, AN ENEMY REGIMENT WAS REPORTEDLY MOVED FROM BANM KLAU TO KHOR TAUAND---- § 15. 21 FEB, A UNIT, NORTH OF ROAD NDR 111 REPORTED THE FOLLOWING TO A REGIMENT IN THE BORDER AREA BETWEEN LAOS AND VIETNAM, §A) MOUNT AN ATTACK AFTER KNOWING THE REGULARITY OF 207 [REDACTED] PROBABLY A UNIT OF THE LAOTIAN GOVERNMENT ARMY) B) POSITION YOUR COMMAND HEADQUARTERS AT 13/38 OR 16/39) C) SIGNALS FROM 2-WATT RADIO ARE TOO WEAK. USE A 15-WATT ONE INSTEAD FOR COMMUNICATION. § 16. [REDACTED] TO W132 (A4L) 22 FEB 1810 HRS) 900 NNNN

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